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AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competition FY2017

Awardee: College Possible
Program Name: College Possible III
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Award Details:

- Grant Funding: \$260,000
- AmeriCorps member positions: 20
- [Segal AmeriCorps Education Award](#): \$116,300
- Budgeted Match*: \$681,195
- Other Revenue**: \$0

*Budgeted Match amount refers to total proposed match amounts from all sources including private sector and government sources.

** Other Revenue refers to funds that the program reports as being used to run the program that are not CNCS share or match.

NOTE: Some applicants are receiving “fixed amount grants” which do not require reporting on matching funds.

Program Summary

College Possible Chicago AmeriCorps members will prepare low-income students for success in post-secondary education through academic and college preparation programming in Chicago, IL. At the end of the first program year, the AmeriCorps members will be responsible for helping students demonstrate improved academic performance in literacy and math, as well as increased preparation for higher education and careers through college admission and persistence. In addition, the AmeriCorps members will leverage an additional 233 volunteers who will be engaged in service projects that support and improve the Chicago community. This program will focus on the CNCS focus area of Education.